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By: **Senators Hooper, Colburn, Harris, Jacobs, and Mooney**  
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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Higher Education - University System of Maryland - Repeal and**  
3 **Reorganization**

4 FOR the purpose of stating the intent of the General Assembly to establish certain  
5 boards of regents to govern and manage certain universities; authorizing certain  
6 universities to be a certain body, a certain instrumentality, and a certain unit of  
7 State government; vesting certain government in certain boards; providing for  
8 the membership of certain boards of regents; prohibiting more than a certain  
9 number of members to be from the same political party; providing for the terms  
10 of members; prohibiting members from serving more than a certain number of  
11 consecutive full terms; entitling certain members to certain reimbursement;  
12 requiring certain boards of regents to determine certain meeting times and  
13 places; authorizing certain boards of regents to perform certain governance and  
14 management duties; requiring certain presidents to develop certain plans;  
15 requiring certain boards of regents to review, modify, and approve certain plans;  
16 requiring certain annual reviews of certain plans; requiring certain boards of  
17 regents to prepare and implement certain budgets; requiring the establishment  
18 of certain procurement standards; requiring certain reports, records, and audits;  
19 requiring the establishment of certain personnel systems; defining certain  
20 terms; requiring the Governor to make certain appointments on or before a  
21 certain date; providing for the staggering of certain terms; requiring the  
22 publisher of the Annotated Code to make certain corrections under certain  
23 circumstances; requiring the transfer of certain property; requiring certain  
24 proceeds from a certain auction to be used for certain purposes; and generally  
25 relating to the repeal and reorganization of independent State universities  
26 formerly under the governance and management of the University System of  
27 Maryland.

28 BY repealing  
29 Article - Education  
30 Section 10-209; and 12-101 through 12-201 and the title "Title 12. University  
31 System of Maryland"  
32 Annotated Code of Maryland  
33 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

1 BY adding to  
2 Article - Education  
3 Section 12-101 through 12-207, inclusive, to be under the new title "Title 12.  
4 Independent State Colleges and Universities"  
5 Annotated Code of Maryland  
6 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

7 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
8 MARYLAND, That Section(s) 10-209; and 12-101 through 12-201 and the title "Title  
9 12. University System of Maryland" of Article - Education of the Annotated Code of  
10 Maryland be repealed.

11 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland  
12 read as follows:

13 **Article - Education**

14 **TITLE 12. INDEPENDENT STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES.**

15 **SUBTITLE 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS.**

16 12-101.

17 IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH SEPARATE AND  
18 INDEPENDENT BOARDS OF REGENTS, EACH WITH ITS OWN PRESIDENT AND CHIEF  
19 EXECUTIVE OFFICER, TO GOVERN AND MANAGE THE AFFAIRS OF THE COLLEGES  
20 AND UNIVERSITIES UNDER THIS TITLE.

21 12-102.

22 (A) IN THIS TITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

23 (B) "BOARD OF REGENTS" MEANS THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF:

24 (1) BOWIE STATE UNIVERSITY;

25 (2) COPPIN STATE COLLEGE;

26 (3) FROSTBURG STATE UNIVERSITY;

27 (4) SALISBURY UNIVERSITY;

28 (5) TOWSON UNIVERSITY;

29 (6) UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE;

30 (7) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, BALTIMORE;

31 (8) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE COUNTY;

- 1 (9) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK;  
2 (10) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND EASTERN SHORE; OR  
3 (11) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.

4 (C) "COMMISSION" MEANS THE MARYLAND HIGHER EDUCATION  
5 COMMISSION.

6 (D) "PRESIDENT" MEANS THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF A UNIVERSITY.

7 (E) "UNIVERSITY" MEANS:

- 8 (1) BOWIE STATE UNIVERSITY;  
9 (2) COPPIN STATE COLLEGE;  
10 (3) FROSTBURG STATE UNIVERSITY;  
11 (4) SALISBURY UNIVERSITY;  
12 (5) TOWSON UNIVERSITY;  
13 (6) UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE;  
14 (7) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, BALTIMORE;  
15 (8) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE COUNTY;  
16 (9) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK, INCLUDING:  
17 (I) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL  
18 SCIENCE;  
19 (II) COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE AND THE AGRICULTURAL  
20 EXPERIMENT STATION;  
21 (III) STATEWIDE MEDICAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING SYSTEM; AND  
22 (IV) FIRE AND RESCUE INSTITUTE;  
23 (10) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND EASTERN SHORE; OR  
24 (11) UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.

25 12-103.

26 (A) (1) THERE IS A BODY CORPORATE AND POLITIC KNOWN AS A  
27 UNIVERSITY.

28 (2) A UNIVERSITY IS AN INSTRUMENTALITY OF THE STATE AND A  
29 PUBLIC CORPORATION.

1 (3) A UNIVERSITY IS AN INDEPENDENT UNIT OF STATE GOVERNMENT.

2 (4) THE EXERCISE BY A UNIVERSITY OF THE POWERS CONFERRED BY  
3 THIS TITLE IS THE PERFORMANCE OF AN ESSENTIAL PUBLIC FUNCTION.

4 (B) THE GOVERNMENT OF A UNIVERSITY IS VESTED IN A BOARD OF REGENTS  
5 OF THE UNIVERSITY.

6 (C) (1) A BOARD OF REGENTS CONSISTS OF NINE MEMBERS APPOINTED BY  
7 THE GOVERNOR WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE.

8 (2) NOT MORE THAN FIVE MEMBERS MAY BE OF THE SAME POLITICAL  
9 PARTY.

10 (D) (1) EACH MEMBER SERVES FOR A TERM OF 6 YEARS AND UNTIL A  
11 SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

12 (2) THE TERMS OF THE MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY  
13 THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF A BOARD OF REGENTS ON OCTOBER 1, 2004.

14 (3) A MEMBER MAY NOT SERVE MORE THAN TWO CONSECUTIVE FULL  
15 TERMS.

16 (E) A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS SHALL CONSTITUTE A QUORUM FOR THE  
17 TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS.

18 (F) EACH MEMBER:

19 (1) SERVES WITHOUT COMPENSATION; AND

20 (2) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES IN ACCORDANCE  
21 WITH THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS.

22 12-104.

23 (A) EACH YEAR, A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL ELECT FROM AMONG ITS  
24 MEMBERS:

25 (1) A CHAIRPERSON; AND

26 (2) ANY OTHER OFFICER IT REQUIRES.

27 (B) A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL DETERMINE THE TIME AND PLACE OF ITS  
28 MEETINGS AND MAY ADOPT RULES FOR THE CONDUCT OF ITS MEETINGS.

29 SUBTITLE 2. POWERS AND DUTIES.

30 12-201.

31 (A) IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER POWERS GRANTED AND DUTIES IMPOSED BY  
32 THIS SUBTITLE, AND SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 11 OF THIS ARTICLE

1 AND ANY OTHER RESTRICTIONS EXPRESSLY IMPOSED BY LAW OR BY ANY TRUST  
2 AGREEMENT INVOLVING A PLEDGE OF PROPERTY OR MONEY, A BOARD OF REGENTS:

3 (1) IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF A UNIVERSITY AND HAS  
4 ALL THE POWERS, RIGHTS, AND PRIVILEGES THAT GO WITH THAT RESPONSIBILITY,  
5 INCLUDING THE POWERS AND DUTIES SET FORTH IN THIS SUBTITLE;

6 (2) MAY NOT BE SUPERSEDED IN ITS AUTHORITY BY ANY OTHER STATE  
7 AGENCY OR OFFICE IN MANAGING THE AFFAIRS OF THE UNIVERSITY; AND

8 (3) SHALL HAVE ALL THE POWERS OF A MARYLAND CORPORATION THAT  
9 ARE NOT EXPRESSLY LIMITED BY LAW.

10 (B) (1) A BOARD OF REGENTS MAY ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS NOT  
11 INCONSISTENT WITH LAW FOR THE GOVERNMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF THE  
12 UNIVERSITY.

13 (2) SUBJECT TO TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 5 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT  
14 ARTICLE ("MEETINGS"), THE BOARD MAY ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS AND  
15 PRESCRIBE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR THE MANAGEMENT, MAINTENANCE,  
16 OPERATION, AND CONTROL OF THE UNIVERSITY.

17 (3) EXCEPT WITH RESPECT TO CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEE GRIEVANCE  
18 APPEALS, TITLE 10, SUBTITLES 1 AND 2 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE  
19 ("ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT") ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO A BOARD OF  
20 REGENTS.

21 (C) A BOARD OF REGENTS MAY REVIEW OR ADOPT POLICIES AND  
22 PROCEDURES OF THE UNIVERSITY WITH RESPECT TO:

23 (1) ACCREDITATION;

24 (2) PROGRAMS AND FUNCTIONS;

25 (3) ACTUAL AND POTENTIAL CAPABILITIES;

26 (4) ADMISSIONS;

27 (5) CURRICULA;

28 (6) GRADUATION;

29 (7) THE AWARDING OF DEGREES; AND

30 (8) GENERAL POLICY-MAKING.

31 (D) A BOARD OF REGENTS MAY PREPARE AND SUBMIT ANNUAL BUDGETS AND  
32 SPEND FUNDS BUDGETED FOR NONSALARY ITEMS ON APPROPRIATE ACTIVITIES.

1 (E) SUBJECT TO ANY APPLICABLE STATE LAW, RULE, OR REGULATION, A  
2 BOARD OF REGENTS MAY CONTRACT WITH ANY PERSON TO RECEIVE OR PROVIDE  
3 SERVICES, RESEARCH, TRAINING, OR DEMONSTRATIONS.

4 12-202.

5 (A) (1) (I) ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE PRESIDENT, AND IN  
6 ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF TITLE 3 OF THE STATE PERSONNEL AND  
7 PENSIONS ARTICLE, THE BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL ESTABLISH GENERAL  
8 STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES GOVERNING THE APPOINTMENT, COMPENSATION,  
9 ADVANCEMENT, TENURE, AND TERMINATION OF ALL FACULTY, EXECUTIVE STAFF,  
10 AND PROFESSIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL IN THE UNIVERSITY.

11 (II) SUBJECT TO SUCH STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES, AND IN  
12 ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF TITLE 3 OF THE STATE PERSONNEL AND  
13 PENSIONS ARTICLE, THE PRESIDENT MAY:

14 1. ADOPT ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL POLICIES; AND

15 2. APPROVE INDIVIDUAL PERSONNEL ACTIONS AFFECTING  
16 THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS.

17 (2) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY LAW, APPOINTMENTS OF A  
18 UNIVERSITY ARE NOT SUBJECT TO OR CONTROLLED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THE  
19 STATE PERSONNEL AND PENSIONS ARTICLE THAT GOVERN THE STATE PERSONNEL  
20 MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

21 (3) (I) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, THE  
22 BOARD OF REGENTS MAY CREATE ANY POSITION TO THE EXTENT THAT THE COST OF  
23 THE POSITION, INCLUDING ANY FRINGE BENEFIT COSTS, IS FUNDED FROM EXISTING  
24 FUNDS.

25 (II) NOTHING IN THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE CONSTRUED TO  
26 REQUIRE ANY ADDITIONAL STATE GENERAL FUND SUPPORT.

27 (III) BY SEPTEMBER 1 OF EACH YEAR, THE BOARD SHALL SUBMIT AN  
28 ANNUAL POSITION ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND  
29 MANAGEMENT, THE DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES, AND THE MARYLAND  
30 HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION REPORTING THE TOTAL POSITIONS CREATED AND  
31 THE COST AND THE FUNDING SOURCE FOR ANY POSITIONS CREATED BY THE  
32 UNIVERSITY IN THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR.

33 (IV) THE TOTAL NUMBER OF POSITIONS AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS  
34 PARAGRAPH SHALL BE LIMITED AS SPECIFIED ANNUALLY IN THE STATE BUDGET  
35 BILL.

36 (4) ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF A PRESIDENT, THE BOARD OF  
37 REGENTS SHALL DESIGNATE ONE OR MORE REPRESENTATIVES TO PARTICIPATE AS  
38 A PARTY IN COLLECTIVE BARGAINING ON BEHALF OF THE UNIVERSITY IN  
39 ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 3 OF THE STATE PERSONNEL AND PENSIONS ARTICLE.

1 (B) IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF TITLE 3 OF THE STATE  
2 PERSONNEL AND PENSIONS ARTICLE, A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL ESTABLISH  
3 GENERAL POLICIES AND GUIDELINES GOVERNING THE APPOINTMENT,  
4 COMPENSATION, ADVANCEMENT, TENURE, AND TERMINATION OF ALL CLASSIFIED  
5 PERSONNEL.

6 12-203.

7 (A) A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL:

8 (1) FIX TUITION AND OTHER FEES PAID BY RESIDENT AND  
9 NONRESIDENT STUDENTS;

10 (2) EXCEPT FOR TUITION, USE THE RECEIPTS OF THE FEES FOR THE  
11 PURPOSE FOR WHICH THEY WERE COLLECTED WITHOUT FISCAL YEAR LIMITATION;

12 (3) REVIEW AND APPROVE BEFORE IMPLEMENTATION EACH PROPOSAL  
13 FOR:

14 (I) ANY NEW PROGRAM; AND

15 (II) ANY SUBSTANTIAL EXPANSION, CURTAILMENT, OR  
16 DISCONTINUANCE OF ANY EXISTING PROGRAM; AND

17 (4) REVIEW, MODIFY AS IT DEEMS NECESSARY, AND APPROVE ANY  
18 OPERATING OR CAPITAL BUDGET REQUESTS.

19 (B) (1) SUBJECT TO REVIEW BY THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE OF  
20 THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL ESTABLISH PROCUREMENT  
21 STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES FOR A UNIVERSITY.

22 (2) A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL NOTIFY THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY  
23 COMMITTEE OF ANY SUBSEQUENT SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES TO THE STANDARDS AND  
24 PROCEDURES ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS SECTION.

25 12-204.

26 (A) (1) A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL APPOINT A PRESIDENT OF THE  
27 UNIVERSITY WHO SHALL BE THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE UNIVERSITY  
28 AND THE CHIEF OF STAFF FOR THE BOARD OF REGENTS.

29 (2) A PRESIDENT SERVES AT THE PLEASURE OF THE BOARD OF  
30 REGENTS.

31 (B) A PRESIDENT SHALL:

32 (1) BE RESPONSIBLE AND ACCOUNTABLE TO THE BOARD FOR THE  
33 DISCIPLINE AND SUCCESSFUL CONDUCT OF THE UNIVERSITY AND SUPERVISION OF  
34 EACH OF ITS DEPARTMENTS; AND

35 (2) TAKE EVERY INITIATIVE IN:

- 1 (I) IMPLEMENTING THE POLICIES OF THE BOARD; AND
- 2 (II) PROMOTING THE UNIVERSITY'S DEVELOPMENT AND  
3 EFFICIENCY.
- 4 (3) SUBJECT TO THE AUTHORITY AND APPLICABLE POLICIES OF THE  
5 BOARD OF REGENTS, A PRESIDENT SHALL:
- 6 (I) DEVELOP A PLAN OF INSTITUTIONAL MISSION, GOALS, AND  
7 PRIORITIES;
- 8 (II) HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO DEVELOP NEW ACADEMIC  
9 PROGRAMS AND CURTAIL OR ELIMINATE EXISTING PROGRAMS;
- 10 (III) FORMULATE OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGET REQUESTS;
- 11 (IV) APPOINT, PROMOTE, FIX SALARIES, GRANT TENURE, ASSIGN  
12 DUTIES, AND TERMINATE PERSONNEL;
- 13 (V) ESTABLISH ADMISSIONS STANDARDS;
- 14 (VI) SET TUITION AND FEES;
- 15 (VII) ADMINISTER FINANCIAL AID;
- 16 (VIII) ENTER INTO CONTRACTS AND COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS;
- 17 (IX) HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT GIFTS AND GRANTS AND  
18 MAINTAIN AND MANAGE ENDOWMENT INCOME;
- 19 (X) HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO RECOMMEND A CHANGE IN THE  
20 NAME OR STATUS OF THE INSTITUTION;
- 21 (XI) REGULATE AND ADMINISTER ATHLETIC AND STUDENT  
22 ACTIVITIES;
- 23 (XII) IN COMPLIANCE WITH STATE, FEDERAL, AND BOARD  
24 MANDATES AND POLICIES, OVERSEE AFFIRMATIVE ACTION AND EQUAL  
25 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES;
- 26 (XIII) ESTABLISH ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF  
27 CAMPUS ALUMNI AFFAIRS;
- 28 (XIV) ESTABLISH TRAFFIC REGULATIONS FOR THE CAMPUS; AND
- 29 (XV) PERFORM ANY OTHER DUTIES ASSIGNED BY THE BOARD.
- 30 (4) A PRESIDENT MAY DELEGATE AUTHORITY TO APPOINT AND REMOVE  
31 PERSONNEL TO THE VICE PRESIDENTS AND PROGRAM DIRECTORS OF THE  
32 UNIVERSITY.

1 12-205.

2 (A) (1) A BOARD OF REGENTS MAY APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, AND SPEND ANY  
3 GIFT OR GRANT FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, ANY FOUNDATION, OR ANY  
4 OTHER PERSON.

5 (2) ANY GIFT OR GRANT A BOARD ACCEPTS SHALL BE DEPOSITED WITH  
6 THE STATE TREASURER IN A NONBUDGETED ACCOUNT AND MAY BE INVESTED AS  
7 THE BOARD DIRECTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.

8 (B) A BOARD OF REGENTS MAY PERFORM ANY OTHER DUTY NECESSARY TO  
9 CARRY OUT ITS POWERS.

10 12-206.

11 (A) A PRESIDENT SHALL DEVELOP AN OVERALL PLAN THAT IS CONSISTENT  
12 WITH THE STATEWIDE PLAN FOR HIGHER EDUCATION AND THE CHARTER THAT:

13 (1) SETS FORTH BOTH LONG-RANGE AND SHORT-RANGE GOALS,  
14 OBJECTIVES, AND PRIORITIES FOR POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION, RESEARCH, AND  
15 SERVICE PROVIDED BY THE UNIVERSITY;

16 (2) SUBJECT TO § 11-105 OF THIS ARTICLE, IDENTIFIES THE ROLE,  
17 FUNCTION, AND MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY;

18 (3) ENCOURAGES AND SUPPORTS HIGH QUALITY UNDERGRADUATE AND  
19 GRADUATE PROGRAMS ON ITS CAMPUSES; AND

20 (4) STIMULATES OUTREACH TO THE COMMUNITY AND STATE THROUGH  
21 CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS WITH PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS,  
22 BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY, AND GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES.

23 (B) A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL REVIEW, MODIFY AS IT DEEMS NECESSARY,  
24 AND APPROVE THE PLAN.

25 (C) BY JULY 1 OF EACH YEAR, A BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL SUBMIT TO THE  
26 MARYLAND HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION, TO THE GOVERNOR AND, SUBJECT TO  
27 § 2-1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AN  
28 ANNUAL REVIEW OF THE PLAN.

29 12-207.

30 (A) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, A UNIVERSITY  
31 SHALL USE THE STATEWIDE FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM  
32 ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT AS ITS  
33 ACCOUNTING, BUDGETING, PERSONNEL, AND PAYROLL SYSTEM.

34 (B) THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR SHALL AUDIT ALL EXPENDITURES AND  
35 ACCOUNTS OF A UNIVERSITY IN ACCORDANCE WITH §§ 2-1220 THROUGH 2-1227 OF  
36 THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.

1 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That on or before October 2,  
2 2004, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint a board  
3 of regents for Bowie State University, Coppin State College, Frostburg State  
4 University, Salisbury University, Towson University, University of Baltimore,  
5 University of Maryland, Baltimore, University of Maryland Baltimore County,  
6 University of Maryland, College Park, University of Maryland Eastern Shore, and  
7 University of Maryland University College in accordance with § 12-103 of the  
8 Education Article as enacted by Section 2 of this Act.

9 SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the terms of the  
10 members of a board of regents of Bowie State University, Coppin State College,  
11 Frostburg State University, Salisbury University, Towson University, University of  
12 Baltimore, University of Maryland, Baltimore, University of Maryland Baltimore  
13 County, University of Maryland, College Park, University of Maryland Eastern Shore,  
14 and University of Maryland University College appointed on October 2, 2004, shall  
15 expire as follows:

16 (1) three in 2006;

17 (2) three in 2008; and

18 (3) three in 2010.

19 SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the publisher of the  
20 Annotated Code, in consultation with, and subject to the approval of the Department  
21 of Legislative Services, shall correct all references to the University System of  
22 Maryland rendered incorrect by this Act.

23 SECTION 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That any property that is  
24 owned or operated on September 30, 2004, by the University System of Maryland  
25 shall be transferred in equal shares to Bowie State University, Coppin State College,  
26 Frostburg State University, Salisbury University, Towson University, University of  
27 Baltimore, University of Maryland, Baltimore, University of Maryland Baltimore  
28 County, University of Maryland, College Park, University of Maryland Eastern Shore,  
29 and University of Maryland University College. Any property transferred under this  
30 section that is in dispute or is not in use as of December 31, 2004, shall be sold by  
31 public auction. The proceeds from this sale shall be deposited into a scholarship fund  
32 for in-State tuition to Bowie State University, Coppin State College, Frostburg State  
33 University, Salisbury University, Towson University, University of Baltimore,  
34 University of Maryland, Baltimore, University of Maryland Baltimore County,  
35 University of Maryland, College Park, University of Maryland Eastern Shore, or  
36 University of Maryland University College for Maryland residents.

37 SECTION 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take  
38 effect October 1, 2004.